THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI VISHWANATH PRATAP SINGH): (a) The total number of Secretaries, Additonal Secretaries, Joint Secretaries and Directors and the number of Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes officers from the IAS is given in the table below:

Level of post	Total number as on 30-4-90	Of them, those belonging to	
		Scheduled Castes	Scheduled Tribes
Secretary	46	Nil	Nil
Additional Secretary	38	Nil	Nil
Joint Secretary	171	6	1
Director	110	12	4

(b) The posts of Additional Secretary, Joint Secretary and Director in the Government of India are filled by borrowing officers from All India Services and participating Group 'A' Organised Services of the Central Government under the Central Staffing Scheme. There is no reservation for appointment to these posts as officers are brought on deputation from their parent Services.

(c) Yes. Sir. The constitutional responsibility to safeguard the interests of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes developes equally in all officers of Government. The Members of the Screening Committee are Secretaries to Government of India and as such are fully vested with the responsibility to ensure that the claims of the members of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes are taken into consideration consistent with the maintenance of efficiency of administration in making their recommendations as is prescribed under Article 335 of the Constitution. The Appointments Committee of the Cabinet is a Standing Committee of the Cabinet.

Opening of Central University in the name of Dr. Ambedkar

411. SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state whether Government propose to establish a new central university in the name of "Bharat Ratna" Baba Saheb Dr. B. R. Ambedkar; if so by when and where; if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): No such proposal is under consideration of the Central Government.

Guidelines for Admission in Kendriya Vidyalayas

412. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the eligibility criteria for admission in the Kendriya Vidyalayas in the country;

(b) whether children of other then Central Government employees are also eligible for admission there, provided vacancies are available; and

(c) if so, what are the guidelines?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MANBHAI MEHTA): (a) to (c) The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has been opening Kendriya Vidyalayas since 1963, primarily to cater to the educational needs of transferable Central Government employees including Defence personnel. In Cvil/Defence

Sector schools, children of transferable Central Government employees get priority in admission over other categories. The children of non-transferable employees of Central Government, autonomous bodies fully financed by Central Government, State Governments and floating population desirous of admission in Kendriya Vidyalaya can be admitted subject to availability of vacancies after catering to the higher priorities. The guidelines for admission in Kendriya Vidyalayas 1989-90 as approved by Board of Governors of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan are given in the enclosed statement.

Statement

Guidelines for admission in Kendriya Vidyalayas

The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has, with the approval of the Board of Governors of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, laid down the following priorities for admission:

1. *Kendriya Vidyalayas in Defence and Civil Sectors*

(i) Children of transferable Central Government employees including Defence personnel, CRPF/BSF/SPG/CISF/NSG employees of All India Services and Indian Foreign Services, children and dependent grand-children of MPs Children of KVS employees and children of transferable Central Government employees including Defence Personnel who die in harness.

(ii) Children of transferable employees of autonomous bodies and Public Sector Undertakings fully financed by Central Government.

(iii) Children of non-transferable Central Government/Central Public Sector Undertaking employees.

(iv) Children of other floating population which includes population desirous of joining the pattern of studies adopted in Kendriya Vidyalayas.

2 and 3. *Kendriya Vidyalayas in Institution of Higher Learning and Public Sector Undertaking*

(i) Children of the employees of the Institutions of Higher Learning/Public Sector Undertaking which is meeting all the recurring and non-recurring expenditure on the Vidyalaya building and equipment and staff and children of the employees of the concerned Kendriya Vidyalaya.

(ii) Children of transferable Central Government employees including Defence/CRPF/BSF/BRTF/SPG/CISF/NSG Personnel and employees of All India Services and the Indian Foreign Service.

(iii) Children of transferable employees of other autonomous bodies and Public Sector Undertakings fully financed by Central Government.

(iv) Children of non-transferable Central Government/Central Public Sector Undertakings employees including Defence/CRPF/BSF Personnel.

(v) Children of other floating population which includes civilian population desirous of joining the pattern of studies adopted in the Kendriya Vidyalayas.

Reservation for Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe Children

15% & 7½% of the fresh admission in every Kendriya Vidyalayas will be reserved for the children of transferable employees belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, respectively.